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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S SPEECH ON LATIN AMERICA

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1. FORTUNATELY, I WAS ABLE TO REACH FONMIN BORGONOVO AT HIS HOME EARLY SATURDAY MORNING. WE MET AND WENT OVER THE CONTENTS OF THE SPEECH POINT BY POINT. POINTS 4 AND 5, PANAMA AND CUBA, I STATED AND THE FONMIN AGREED THAT RESOLVING THESE ISSUES WOULD NOT ONLY IMPROVE OUR RELATIONS WITH THESE TWO COUNTRIES BUT WOULD ALSO BE POSITIVE PROOF THAT THE U.S. IS WILLING TO APPROACH WESTERN HEMISPHERE PROBLEMS WITH AN OPEN MIND AND RESOLVE THEM ON A COOPERATIVE BASIS, THUS IMPROVING OUR OVERALL RELATIONS WITH L.A.

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2. POINT 6, THE TRADE ACT, THE FONMIN STATED THAT HE

RECOGNIZED THE BENEFITS OF THE TRADE ACT FOR EL SALVADOR AND SEEMED INCLINED TO MORE POSITIVE SUPPORT FOR THE ACT THAN THE "BALANCED" POSITION THE GOES HAD TAKE, IN THE COMMUNIQUE OF SANTO TOMAS (SAN SALVADOR 0831). IN REFERENCE TO THE WORKING GROUPS HE HOPED THAT SOME POSITIVE AND CONSTRUCTIVE ACTION WOULD RESULT TO SUPPORT THE PHILOSOPHY OF THE NEW DIALOGUE.

- 3. POINTS 8 AND 9, THE FONMIN STATED THAT THE GOES HAD POINTED OUT THE NEED FOR CONCESSIONAL LOANS TO THE VENEZUELANS IN THEIR RECENT MEETING IN EL SALVADOR AND HE HOPED THAT THEY HAD CONVINCED THE VENEZUELANS TO GIVE AT LESS A PERCENTAGE OF THEIR LOANS ON A CONCESSIONAL BASIS.
- 4. POINT 10, THE FONMIN REALIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF FOOD PRODUCTION AND AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY. HE MENTIONED THE GOES LAND TRANSFORMATION ACT AND ALSO THE AID PROJECT TO LEND TECHNICAL-ND FINANCIAL SUPPORT. I TOLD THE MINISTER THAT OUR MISSION DIRECTOR, MR. ANDERSON, WAS IN WASHINGTON THIS WEEK TO PRESENT THIS PROJECT AND THAT I HAD GIVEN MY PERSONAL SUPPORT TO THE PROJECT. (IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF THE DEPARTMENT WOULD ALSO LEND ITS SUPPORT.)
- 5. POINT 11, THE FONMIN STATES THAT HUMAN RIGHTS WAS NOT A PROBLEM IN EL SALVADOR.
- 6. I THEN INVITED THE FONMIN TO JOIN ME AT THE RESIDENCE TO LISTEN TO THE EVENING BROADCAST OF THE SECRETARY'S SPEECH. HE HAD TO DECLINE DUE TO AN EARLY ENGAGEMENT BUT SAID HE WOULD BE VERY INTERESTED IN READING THE FINAL TEXT, WHICH HE WILL BE GIVEN AS SOON AS IT IS AVAILABLE. CAMPBELL

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